CURRENT COMMENT.

A STATISTICIAN has found that the average age of men in the past forty is partly due to the toughening qualities in the modern adulteration of foods and had been in feeble mental and physical sought to wreck a freight train for spoi

just been discovered on the Island of Samos. It was constructed about nine of providing the old seaport with known throughout the country. drinking water.

have posted the following notice: of the Pittsburg Dispatch, President of the the creek. In the baggage car, L. Cardoz this camp within twelve hours. Their died suddenly a few days ago of nervous drowned, together with E. F. Loris, bas dishonorable conduct must, will and prostration. shall be avenged,"

election is held, the meeting is gen- nati, who was shot on election day, killed Ind., burned a few mornings ago. Los erally humanized by the presence of herself soon afterwards by shooting herself \$80,000. the young lady students, and the princi- through the heart. ple of woman's suffrage is confirmed by from the fair sex.

two more trees have taken root and would run across another trunk which he badly scorched at New Orleans, La. Dan grown as high as the old tree is. Half peach tree stands out.

Horse railroads are an old story. novelty. It is announced that camels are to be employed as the motive power on the last section of railroad recently built by Russia through the Trans-Caspian desert toward India.

It turns out that the new anæsthetic, muriate of cocoaine, which has been found so useful in delicate operations on the eye, was formerly used by specialists to blunt the sensibilities of the throat. Muriate of cocoaine, by Commons a few days ago amid Liberal in the Santa Fe jail, and officers started in the by, is muriatic acid combined chemically with the active principle of the South American cocoa plant.

THE pet aversion of a Japanese is the fate of being buried at sea. The wrecked off the Caribou Islands, and two anese Legation at Berlin, embarked at the schooner Emile, which had picked up Marseilles for Yokohama. To make sure that if he died at sea his body should not be consigned to the deep, he took on board with him a handsome | Europe except the German Emperor, in coffin and everything necessary for which he proclaimed his right to the Duchy embalmment.

MR. GEORGE LUNT, the old poet, has found a fig tree growing in the seacoast town of Scituate, Mass., probably springing from the seeds of a fig dropdown with every frost, but for five summers has sprung up again, growing to the height of nearly six feet, but as yet Bearing no fruit.

LEFT-HANDED penmanship is now taught in a number of American tions prohibiting attendance at theaters schools. The method of instruction is and political meetings. to make the pupil write his name in pencil and then go over it with a pen a sufficient degree of proficiency is obtained.

A FEW days ago some dry sage on the battle field of Missionary Ridge, near Chattanooga, Tenn., took fire and the flames spread with great rapidity. United States prisoners. Two Indians A stump soon blazed up, and in a few seconds a roar like thunder reverberated down the valley, and the stump was blown into ten thousand pieces. Investigation developed the fact that three shells were imbedded in the stump and exploded from the heat.

An eccentric character has just bequeathed to the French Academy of mers, valued at a large sum. Poppethawer An International Inventions Exhibition Fine Arts a sum of money to be devoted to an annual prize of two thousand francs, which will fall to the pain- first-class jewelry firms and request the the Prince of Wales, and the management ter who has taken the lowest position in the competition for the Prix de Roam. It has been suggested that the jury will probably have to consider the · uestion "Who is the painter?" before admitting the candidates who stand lowest on the list.

IMMENSE schools of herring, which were evidently frightened by dogfish or bluefish, were driven toward the seashore, near New Biddleford, Me., a towns. few days ago. The number kept increasing and when the tide went out left a place of about an acre com pletely covered with the fish. In some about 84,000. He said the cattle in the Ter- of Chicago, well known to all the members spots, where there was a depression in ritory numbered over 900,000, and the of the Plenary Council and others present. in the vicinity flocked to the beach and and \$30,000,000. In other directions Mon- aggregate of about \$15,000,000 to the Nasecured cart loads of the herring to be tana is steadily increasing in the value of tional banking capital of the country. Dur-

One farmer obtained sixty cart loads.

A RESIDENT of Ronkonkoma, L. I., possesses a gold watch which formerly belonged to the ill-fated Marie Antonical to the subject of contagious diseases to the ill-fated Marie Antonical to the size of a tred
There are the period named eleven National banks have failed.

There were two hundred and eleven failures in the United States and twenty-five in Canada during the past two weeks of November, an increase of twenty over the preceding week. It is about the size of a tred
Leavenworth County-Edward Carroll, D., Leavenworth: George T. Anthony, R., Leavenworth: belonged to the ill-fated Marie An- among animals to Dr. Loring, Commisthe preceding week. toinette. It is about the size of a trade sioner of Agriculture. The recent out- ARTHUR H. JANUARY, Deputy State dollar in circumference, and is open- break among Kansas herds was attributed Treasurer of California, was recently arfaced. On the back it bears the de- to ergotism, due to eating fungus known rested, charged with the embezzlement of vice of the French Queen, a cupid on as ergot. The course of treatment which public funds. He confessed the theft of a cloud, worked in gold and silver.

Dr. Salmon laid down for cattle afflicted \$9,500, which he gambled away.

With the disease will be consulted with in
DAN HOLCOMB and Judd Crouch were The features of the boy god are nearly terest by stock-raisers everywhere. effaced by long wear. The legend the A rew dozen working days will see the son, Mich., on the charge of being impliowner gives is that the watch was the Washington monunent completed, and cated in the mysterious murder of the gift of the Queen to the architect of February 22 next will witness its public family. the Tuileries, who shot himself through the head on the day following her exe
the Mark the Tuileries, who shot himself through the head on the day following her exe
light of the Queen to the architect of delication. Standing 520 feet and ten inches above its base, it now ranks as the highest structure in the world, its nearest Kingsville, Essex County, Ontario, and cution by the revolutionists. Its pres- rival being the lofty spire of the Cologne similar shocks at Concord, Hopkinton, ent owner was a near relative of a well-known American poet, now dead.

The watch came into his possession through marriage, as a gift from his through marriage of the Cologne through the lotty spire of the Cologne thro

A Summary of the Daily News.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL. November 27th, as a day of general thanks- & Texas Central Railway was wrecked giving throughout the United States, and | and eight people were killed outright and recommended that it be so observed.

years has advanced three years. This Unitarian clergyman of New York, died a diabolical work was done by discharged A TUNNEL 5,000 feet in length has ucational institutions for the poor in New tools and by pulling spikes and unfastening England States.

of the First United Presbyterian Church at moving it. It so happened that the pa centuries before the Christian era, and | Caledonia, N. Y., died a few days ago. He | senger train having the right of way ar Herodotus says it severed the purpose was in his forty-second year, and was well being behind hand was the first to read

and a leading Mason, died lately at New- safely, while two baggage cars, mail ar THE citizens of La Grand, W. T., burg, N. Y., aged seventy-four years.

"Tin-horn gamblers, opium fiends and Board of Managers of the West Peniten- traveling passenger agent of the Ne stranglers are hereby warned to leave tiary, and ex-Mayor of Allegheny City, York, Texas & Mexican Railway, wa

MISCELLANEOUS.

NELLIE HENNESSEY, wife of Captain butchery in Guades, South America. At Michigan University, when a class Philip Hennessey, a young man of Cincin-

some time was the recent flight of the emi- | cently to restore the east-bound tariff rate the election of one or more officers nent tragedian, John McCullough, at Chi- as adopted last July. They will apply t cago. He went to the depot and d manded all classes of freight except live stock his baggage. He was dazed and would Each road, and especially the Presider In Alabama is a chica tree ten feet in point to a big black trunk and say: "There, thereof, will be held strictly responsible for circumference. Its top was torn away my trunk is like that one; find a trunk like asy out hereafter. by a storm, but zix feet up the trunk that and you will have mime." Then he | THE steamer Redora was recently ver took for his and claim it. On investigation age of \$15,000 was done to the steamer an it was found that his sole baggage consisted | 500 bales of cotton were destroyed. way up the trunk of the original tree a of a hat box and valise. He said that he had an engagement to play at St. Louis otherwise shockingly mangled body was and had just an hour to get there in. In found on the railway near Berea, O., a fee due course of time he arrived in St. Louis mornings ago. He had money when last but a camel railway has the merit of and was taken charge of by friends. No seen, also a revolver and pocketbook, non one seemed to be taking any special care of which were on the body. It was be of him and he wandered aimiessly where- lieved he was murdered by tramps, robbe

ever he desired to go. THE cotton crop of the United States for the present year has been estimated to be than last year.

P. N. FITZGERALD, lately tried for treason-felony in organizing branches of the ted a few days ago.

THERE was lately a movement in Wisconsin in favor of high license. Petitions in futherance of such a policy were circulated quite freely.

THE Norwegian bark Naura was lately other day Kido, an attache of the Jap- of her crew were drowned. All on board the passengers of the wrecked steamer Tyl-

gia, were lost. THE Duke of Cumberland lately addressed a circular to all the sovereigns of

LATE advices from Turks Island stated that the brig Julia E. Haskell, Captain Paine, sailed from Wavassa Gctober 11, for Baltimore, with guano. She encountered a hurricane October 14, and sprung a leak, which rapidly increased, and the brig was ped in the spot, protected by a doorsill abandoned two days later, and the crew, and warmed by a cellar. The tree dies | eight in number, took to the boats and made Calcos Island, and, in attempting to land the boat capsized and all on board, except the Captain and one sailor named Grant,

> ALL but six of the law students at the Naval University, Montreal, were lately expelled for not submitting to the regula-

An earthquake shock was recently felt at Salt Lake City, Utah. Many people grose in fright, but no damage was done. The held in his left hand. After doing this tremors lasted about ten seconds. At Parfor some time the writer is able to is, Idaho, six shocks were felt about the write his signature without the aid of same time. Considerable damage to houses the penciled copy. This is kept up until | was reported, and people were affected as by seasickness. The first shocks were from northeast to southwest, then a swaying motion from north to south. The succeeding shocks were from east to west.

> A BAND of Indians lately attacked Deputy Marshal Mershor on his return trip from the Indian Territory, and liberated thirty were killed and several wounded. Mershor got into Fort Smith, Ark., with nineteen prisoners and lodged them in jail. THE Mackay-Bennett cable was lately died lately of old age. One of the last acts rendered useless by icebergs off New- of his life was to walk to the polls and

> A MAN named E. Poppethawer, who did business under the firm name of the Boston | the hero of three wars, lately set the Diamond Cutting Company, was lately tongues of the St. Louis gossips wagging missing with diamonds which belonged to by his private marriage to Mrs. Marie St. various Boston firms and private custo- Cyr, his housekeeper. was trusted by jewelers of that city almost | will be held at London in 1885 under the implicity. It was his custom to call upon patronage of the Queen, the Presidency of

> could sell to good advantage. prepared a measure to restore cash pay- in South Kensington, and will remain open ments throughout Austria and Hungary. until the end of the year. tects was formed in Chicago a few days nee, Wis., President of the defunct Pioneer chitects opened in conjunction therewith. sets and liabilities unknown, though the

late annual report estimated the increase Council. Archbishop Corrigan pronounced of population in the Territory during the the culogium. Among the Bishops speyear at 4,000, and the present population at | cially mentioned was the late Bishop Foley the sand, the fish were piled in to the value of taxable property, which he said ONE hundred and ninety-one new Nadepth of four or five feet. The farmers of the Territory, was between \$50,000,000 tional banks were chartered in the United States during the past year, adding a net

tion, N. Y. on the New West Shore Road, a Hartford.

THE WORLD AT LARGE, few mornings ugo. 1we train broke in two and stopped at the stawn, but the trainmen neglected to send back the danger signal and a heavy freight which was following ran into the rear coach. The emigrants aw the danger and escaped in time.

NEAR Hempstead, Tex., a few mornings THE President has appointed Thursday, ago the north bound train on the Houston fifteen wounded. Prompt investigation by REV. CHARLES BARNARD, a well-known railroad authorities revealed the fact that recently in his seventy-sixth year. He employes and thieves in the vicinity, who health for some time. He took a very contained. After breaking into a section prominent part in the establishment of ed- house the wreckers obtained the necessar the plates arranged the rail to yield THE Rev. John Anderson Nelson, pastor | the pressure without, however, entirely re the scene of disaster. It struck a loosene THOMAS BEVERIDGE, a prominent brewer rail, and the engine and tender got ov express and two Pullman sleepers we ORMSEY PHILLIPS, one of the proprietors over the thirty-foot embankment and in gage master, and G. W. Lewis, porte Some of the wounded were fatally hurt. News recently came of a most horrib

THE Doxey Opera House, at Anderso

THE Joint Executive Committee of Trus ONE of the saddest sights witnessed for Line Commission in New York decided re

BENJAMIN SHORTER'S decapitated an and left on the track.

EDWARD WHITE and a negro calle "Punch" Collins were arrested at Sant 5,276,000 bales. This is somewhat larger Fe, N. M., a few days ago charged with being implicated in the attempt to wreck passenger train near Socorro on the nigh of October 30. The train was fired into i Irish Republican Brotherhood, was acquit- the hope of securing a large amount of treasure in charge of the express company THE Franchise bill was passed to the but this was prevented by the courage of committee stage in the British House of the engineer. The prisoners were lodge pursuit of the gang, for whose capture reward of \$2,200 was offered. SECRETARY MCCCLLOCH of the Treasur

received an urgens petition against the im portation of foreign rags a few days ago signed by many prominent citizens. I was so urgent and so universally signed that he responded with a promise of immediat consideration. The following is the petition We, the undersigned, recognizing the facthat there is great danger of the introduc tion of Asiatic cholera into the United States through the raedium of old rags im ported into the country and coming from European ports, do hereby respectfully suggest and urge upon you the necescity for immediate and decissive action in reference thereto. We are prompted thus to appeal to you because of the recent removal of restrictions on the importation of old rags, and it is our firm belief that this threatened danger can be averted only by the most thorough and systematic disinfecting of old rags coming from any and all European ports. Trusting your honorable department will see the urgent necessity for speedy and definite action, we beg to subscribe ourselves, very respectfully Here followed many distinguished names. AT Trenton, N. J., the Rev. Henry S Williamson, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, was lately found dead in a lane or the edge of the city, by two boys. He was lying on the ground with a bullet wound on the right frontal bone, from which brains and blood had oozed out and become coagulated. He wore a pair of spectacles which were blood-stained. By his side on the ground was a brand new ivory-handled Smith & Wesson revolver. Only one chamber was emptied, showing that but one shot had been fired. The pistol had evidently been held close to the forehead, and it was no doubt a case of suicide though no reason was assigned.

ADDITIONAL DISPATCHES.

EDMUND M. PERKINS, aged ninety-nine years, a pensioner of the war of 1812 and for forty years a resident of Quincy, Ill.,

rote November 4. MAJOR-GENERAL WILLIAM S. HARNEY,

loan of some diamonds, which he said he of an executive council composed of eminent Englishmen. It will be opened in THE Austrian Minister of Finance has May at the Royal Horticultural Gardens

A NORTHWESTERN association of archi- Captain William Wilson, of Menomoago, and a permanent exhibit of building Lumber Company, lately made an assignmaterials and specimens of the latest im- ment of his separate estate. His affairs provements and patents of interest to ar- were in a confused condition, with his as-DIPHTHERIA in its worst form has been the former were estimated at \$400,000.

prevailing at Oil City, Pa., and adjoining Imposing ceremonies were lately held at the Baltimore Cathedral in memory of the GOVERNOR CROSEY, of Montana, in his Prelates who died since the last Plenary

lately indicted and placed on trial at Jack-

through marriage, as a gift from his A TRAIN-LOAD of emigrants had a narrow copal Bishop, were held recently at Trinity escape from destruction at Cornwall Sta-

KANSAS STATE NEWS.

THE VOTE FOR GOVERNOR. Below will be found the official vote for Governor at the late election, and figures comparing the vote with that of 1882. The vote for President in the same counties, with the exception of Osborne, not reported, is: Blaine, 121,400; Cleveland, 70,906; St. John, 3.354; Butler, 11,468.

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ot	Pratt	774	516	71	150	137	69
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The Legislature. SENATE.

First District, Doniphan and Brown Counties-Sol. Miller, R., Troy. Second District, Atchison County-A. J. Harwi, R., Atchison. Third District, Jefferson and Leaven-worth Counties-Matt Edmonds, R., Mc-

Fourth District, Wyandotte.

Fifth District, Johnson, Miami and Liun bunties-W. H. Shean, R., Gardner; R. W. Blue, R., Pleasanton. Sixth District, Bourbon County-W. J. Bawden, R., Fort Scott. Seventh District, Crawford County—M. C. Kelley, R., Mulberry Grove,
Eighth District, Cherokee County—John N.

Ritter, R., Columbus. Ninth District, Labette County—C. H. Kimball, R., Parsons.

Tenth District, Montgomery County—L. U. Humphrey, R., Independence.
Eleventh District, Wilson and Neosho
Counties-R. N. Allen, R., Chanute.
Twelfth District, Allen, Anderson and
Woodson Counties-J. H. Whitford, R., Gar-

Thirteenth District, Coffey and Franklin Counties-L. C. Wasson, R., Ottawa. Fourteenth District, Osage County, T. L. Marshall, R., Osage City.
Fifteenth District, Douglas County-George J. Barker, R., Lawrence, Sixteenth District, Shawnee County—S. E. Sheidon, R., Topeka. Seventeenth District, Jackson and Pottavatomic Counties—R. S. Hicks, R. Louisville. Eighteenth District, Nemaha and Marshall Counties-W. W. Smith, R., Waterville. Nineteenth District, Riley, Davis and Wa-baunsee Counties-George S. Green, R., Man-

Twentieth District, Lyon and Greenwood Counties—L. B. Kellogg, R., Emporia. Twenty-first District, Elk and Chautauqua Counties—E. M. Hewins, D., Cedarvale. Twenty-second District, Cowley County-Frank S. Jennings, R., Winfield. Twenty-third District, Butler County—A. L. Redden, R., El Dorado.

Twenty-fourte District, Chase, Marion and Morris Counties—R. M. Crane, R., Marion the gun, breaking it at the stock. The sto-

Twenty-fifth District, Dickinson and Ottawa Counties-Conrad Kohler, R., Enterprise. Twenty-sixth District, Clay and Washington Counties—F. P. Harkness, R., Clay Center. Twenty-seventh District, Republic and Jew-ell Counties—George H. Case, R., Mankato. Twenty-eighth District, Smith and Osborne Counties-R. M. Pickler, R., Smith Center. Twenty-ninth District. Mitchell and Cloud ounties-I. D. Young, R., Beloit.
Thirtieth District, Russell, Lincoln and Eilsworth Counties-Ira E. Lloyd, R., Ells-

Thirty-first District, McPherson and Saline Counties—H. B. Kelley, R., McPherson. Thirty-second District, Reno and Harvey Counties—W. M. Congdon, R., Sedgwick. Thirty-third District, Sedgwick and King-man Counties—John Kelley, R., Witchita. Thirty-fourth District, Sumner and Harper Counties—B. J. Lingenfelter, D., South Haven. Thirty-fifth District, Barber, Pratt, Staf-ford, Pawnee, Edwards Ford, Finney, Hodgeman, Ness and the unorganized counties of Lane. Scott, Wichita, Greeley, Hamilton, Seward and Comanche—J. W. Rush, R., Thirty-sixth District, Barton and Rice

Counties—John W. White, R., Lyons.
Thirty-seventh District, Ellis, Trego,
Rooks, Graham, Sheridan, and the unorganized counties of St. John, Wallace,
Thomas and Sheridan—E. J. Donnell, R., Thirty-eighth District, Phillips, Norton, De-

Atchison County—F. E. Cloyes, R., Lancas-ter; Charles W. Benning, R., Atchison; A. J. White, R., Nortonville. Jefferson County—Levi Wilhelm, R., Winchester; G. W. McCammon, R., Valley Falls, Leavenworth County-Edward Carroll, D.,

Crawford County-A. J. Vickers, R., Pitts-Cherokee County-E. C. Scammon, D., Stilsou; J. S. Giliespie, R., Keesville; E. C. Weilless, D., Galena.

Labette County-David Kelso, R., Parsons;
H. C. Cook, R., Oswego; J. B. Cook, R., Che-Mentgomery County-J. A. Burdick. R.,

Coffey County—Stephen Ogden, R., Lebo.
Csage County—L. E. Finch, R., Burlingame;
W. E. Sweeley, R., Olivet.
Shewnen County—David Overmeyer, Resub.

R., North Topeka; A. H. Vance, R., Topeka; J. B. Johnson, R., Topeka. Jackson County—Peter Dickson, R., Holton. Brown County—G. Y. Johnson, D., Willis; B. H. Brewster, R., Hiawatha.

Nemaha County-John E. Corwin, Ind. R., Sebetha; Charles S. Cummings, R., Centralia. Marshall County—James Billingsly, D., Ax-tell; T. F. Rhodes, R., Frankfort. Pattawatomie County-John A. Johnson, R., Mariadahl; Thomas Beattle, R., Wamego. Riley County-P. S. Loofburrow, R., Leon-

Davis County Seorge E. Beatts, R., Junetion City.
Wabaunsee County-F. L. Raymond, R., Lyon County-J. Jay Buck, R., Emporia; D. A. Hunter, R., Emporia. Greenwood County-J. B. Clogston, R., Elk County-E. G. Dewey, R., Grezola. Chautauqua County-C. M. Torner: R.

Sedan.
Cowley County-Edward P. Greer, R., Winfield; Louis P. King, R., Winfield; J. B. Maurer, R., Dexter.
Butler County-F. W. Rash, R., Dougias, J. M. Randall, R., El Dorado.
Chase County-W. G. Patten, R., Cottonwood Falls. Marion County-J. Ware Butterfield, R., Florence. Morris County-William A. Lower, R., Dickinson County-J. R. Burton, R., Abiline; C. N. Coggeshell, D. Clay County-George Morgan, R., Clay

Clay County—George Morgan, R., Clay Center.
Washington County—J. P. Spiers, R., Washington; J. J. Veatch, R., Palmer.
Republic County—W. A. Reeves, R., Scandia; William Glasgow, R., Prospect.
Cloud County—G. M. Keeger, R., Miltonvale; D. B. Moore, R., Jamestown.
Ottawa County—R. P. Blain, R., Lamar.
Saline County—Charles E. Faulkner, R.,
Salina; A. P. Collins, R. Solomon City.
McPherson County—A. W. Smith, R., Mo-Salina: A. P. Collins, R. Solomon City.
McPherson County—A. W. Smith, R., MoPherson: J. M. Simpson, R., McPherson.
Harvey County—T. J. Matlock, R., Huron.
Sedgwick County—Rudolph Haiffeld, R.,
Wichita: R. E. Lawrence, Wichita.
Sumner County—R. J. Hukle, R., Landon;
T. N. Cooper, R., Caldwell.
Harper County—George D. Thompson, R.,
Harper.

Harper. Kingman County-F. E. Gillett, R., King-Barber County-T. A. McNeal, R., Medicine Pratt County-A. S. Thomson, R., Pratt Center. Reno County—I. M. Gray, R., Nickerson; A. B. Caldwell, R., Hutchinson. Staffon, County—E. R. Wartz, R., St. John. Earton County—W. H. Campbell, R., Great

Rice County-R. F. Bond, R., Sterling. Ellsworth County-George Zeitz, D., Ells-Russell County-H. Wentworth, R., Rus-Lincoln County-R. F. Bryant, R., Lincoln Center.
Mitchell County-Samuel Carter, R., Asher-Mitchell County—Samuel Carter, R., Asherville: F. J. Kelley, R., Cawker City.
Osborne County—I. M. Morgan, D., Downs,
Jewell County—A. W. Mann, R., Burr
Oaks; B. F. Wallace, R., Mankato.
Smith County—J. C. Davenport, G., Smith
Center; Webb McNall, R., Gaylord.
Phillips County—William H. McBride, R.,
Kirwin.

Rooks County-W. H. Barnes, R., Stockton. Ellis County—Frank Hopkins, R., Walker, Rush County—John Hargrave, R., LaCrosse, Pawnee County—W. C. Edwards, R., Larned, Edwards County—N. B. R. Mosier, R., Kins-

Ford County-R. J. Hardesty, D., Cimar Hodgeman County-W. D. Pratt, R., Jet Ness County-J. P. Johnson, D., Ness City Trego County-S. J. Osborn, R., Wa-keeney Graham County-James H. Justus, R., Mill Norton County—W. Hollenshead, R. Decatur County—Van B. Wiggins, R., Lyle. Sheridan County—R. H. Talbot, R., Ken-

Finney County-C. J. Jones, Ind. Governor Glick has issued the following

Thanksgiving proclamation: STATE OF KANSAS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, Topeka, November 14, 1884. To the people of Kansas:

Whereas, During the past year the people of the State of Kansas have enjoyed great prosperity, while the watchful care of Divine Providence has showered the blessings of peace, plenty and happiness upon all, and for these manifestations of His loving kindness to His people:

Now, therefore, I, G. W. Glick, Governor of the State of Kansas, do hereby recommend and most earnestly request that the people lay aside all secular cares and observe Thursday, the 27th day of November, A. D. 884, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer. I further request that the people assemble their respective places of worship, and earnestly and devoutly offer up thanks to God for the many blessings He has bestowed upon us during the past year, and implore of Him to help us so to ive that we may merit a continuance of His In testimony whereof, I have hereunto sub-

scribed my name, and caused to be affixed he great seal of the State. Done at the city of Topeka, the day and year first above writ-G. W. GLICK. By the Governor:

JAMES SMITH, Secretary of State.

Miscellaneous.

Ox Sunday, the 9th, Topeka was excited over a murder near that city. William H. Brown, a young man of twenty-three years, who lives with his brother-in-law, John Munkhous, about a quarter of a mile from Crawford's farm, where the killing occurred, was out hunting with a double-barreled shot-gun. He came to Crawford's farm, and was met by Walter Hines, a nephew of Crawford, who ordered him not to hunt there, as he might shoot some of the cattle near by. Some words ensued, and Walter Hines dismounted from his horse and was immeries of those who witnessed the tragedy, materially differed as to whether Brown deliberately shot Hines and then felled him to the ground, or that the gun was discharged from the concussion of the blow on Hines' head. Brown fled to the house of his brother-in-law, and from there skipped to parts unknown. The young man killed was scarcely twenty years of age. After the shooting, and before leaving, Brown told his brother-in-law that he did not intend to kill the young man, but the gun was accidentally discharged.

S. A. VANKIRK, Superintendent of Pub lie Instructions of Harper County, was arrested recently on the charge of forgery and embezzlement. It is charged he signed the names of school officers to an order for \$500. drew the money and used it.

A DISPATCH to a Kansas City paper stated recently that in a political quarrel a Winfield, Sandy Barge shot a colored man, name unknown. The latter returned the are, fatally wounding Barge.

OFFICIAL returns had been received by the Secretary of State on the 11th from sixty-two out of eighty-two counties in the State. Of these Martin, Republican caudicatur, Rawlins and the unorganized county | State. Of these Martin, Republican caudi of Cheyenne-H. S. Granger, R., Phillipsburg. | date 27 Governor, received 112,509; Glick. Democrat, 84,422; Phillips, Prohibitionist and Greenbacker, 6,810; Martin's plurality Don'phan County-Philip Kelley, R., White over Glick, 28,083. It was believed that the Joud; William H. Deckard, R. other counties would increase this plurality to about 25,000. The Blaine electors re ceived 121.400; Cleveland, 70,906; St. John, 3,354; Butler, 11,486. Blaine's plurality is 50,494. It is estimated that the other

wine; w. H. woodbef, R., Ottawa.

Miami County—H. A. saider, R., Phola;
Charles H. Lewis, R., Fontana.

Linn County—R. H. Roseberry, R., LaCygne; Alfred Baker, R., Pleasanton.

Anderson County—S. J. Stewart, R., Iola.

Bourbon County—A. E. Currier, R., Hammond Station; Wiley Politinger, R., Mill
Creek.

Tent expenses, \$10,787.08; water works, Sustant works, Sust Franklin County - L. W. Hostetler, R., Wellstor for the month of October, showing exreptile; W. H. Woodbef, R., Ottawa.

the Hessian fly was doing great damage to the wheat crop, inquiry at the office of the Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture failed to bring any confirmation of the rein the State.

race for the same office, this incident was ran to town.

ALL OVER.

The Last of the Election-Cleveland's Official Plurality. NEW YORK, November 17 .- The Board of Supervisors met in the Aldermanic Chamber at ten o'clock Saturday morning. and resumed the work of counting the vote The count of the First District of the Eightclaimed that 226 votes were really east in the district, and that the Republican electoral ticket received 81 votes instead of 54, as recorded. The vote of the First Election District was, therefore, referred to the Committee on Corrected Returns. The canvass of the Eighteenth Assembly District was solved to request the Committee on Cor- sioners since 1861 is \$678,346,834. rected Returns to give preference to the electoral ticket. The canvass of the returns from the Twentieth District was com- to ascertain the whereabouts of company, pleted at 12:30 p. m. without any objection officers and comrades, often defeating the being made. In the Twenty-first Assembly allowance of a claim for want of testi-District no objections or changes were mony from these witnesses, and the commade. Five defective ballots and four parative limited resources of the special Monday morning. With that the return in the official vote of the lowest Democratic Elector in the city is 133,157, and for the highest Republican Elector 90,093, giving the lowest Cleveland Elector a plurality of

NEW YORK BY COUNTIES. The following are the official figures as returned by the Canvassing Boards throughout the State:

Rep COUNTIES. Albany. 17,698 18,345 Rawlins County-A. Hemming, R., Bassett Broome Cavuga. Clinton. Cortland. Dutchess. 26,249 24,756 but of open 4,551 2,776 just claim. 521 Herkimer ... Kings Livingston ... Monroe ... Montgomery . New York . . . 6,382 5,642 9,968 9,841 Putnam 8,445 16,367 13,750 13,414 Rockland. Saratoga... Schoharie... Plurality in Greene County

Cleveland's plurality in State 1.106. THE ELECTORAL VOTE. The Electoral vote of the States will be cast as follows:

Kentucky Louisiana..... Massachusetts Michigan Nevada... New Jersey.... North Carolina. Oregon. Pennsylvania. Rhode Island... South Carolina. Tennessee.....

Necessary to a choice, 201. bot By Accident.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., November 17 .- A serious accident happened yesterday to a party of distinguished citizens who to Poinsett County on hunting expedition. The was composed of Hon. Paul M. Cobbs, State Land Commissioner; Colonel Frank Conway, of Little Rock, and Dr. J. J. Robinson, of Malvern. While hunting on the prairie for birds, they became separated, numbers of men are leaving daily for the and the Doctor discharged his gun into a mines. Parties coming in from along bush which he discovered moving. A por- the line of the Canadian Pacific Railroad

of hunters belonging to this city, while returning home last evening, met with an accident near town. It being dark, the driver | the Bethlehem Iron Works, at Bethlehem. port, and nothing had been heard of this could not see the way clearly, and in drivpest from any source, although reports had ing over a bridge one of the front wheels come in from correspondents in every county missed it, and striking a projecting timber brought the vehicle to a sudden stop, pitch-ONE of the neat things of the late elec- ing the occupants violently out upon the tion was the sending of a handsome bou-quet to Mrs. John A. Martin by Mrs. G. W. bruised hip, and was otherwise injured Glick when the result for Governor became internally. The remainder of the party known. Residents of the same ward, and lackily escaped with slight injuries. The near neighbors, their husbands making the horses became detached from the wagon and

PENSIONS AND CROPS. Reports of Commissioner of Pensions Dudley and Agricultural Department Figures-The Number and Cost of the Nation's Pensioners-The Cotton, Corn and Potato Crops.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 13. Commissioner of Pensions Dudley, in of New York County. The Fifteenth As- his annual report for the last fiscal sembly District was completed without any rears, says that at the close of the material change from the original count. | cear there were 522,756 pensioners on In one of the election districts of the Six- the rolls classified as follows: 218,956 teenth Assembly District a slight error was army invalids; 75,836 army widows, dicovered. The vote of the district was reminor children and dependent relatives; turned to the Committee on Corrected Re 2,616 navy invalids; 1,938 navy widows, turns. Otherwise there was no material minor children and dependent relachange in the count of the Six- tives; 3,898 survivors of the war of teenth District, which was completed 1812, and 19,512 widows of those who at 10:55. The Seventeenth Assembly served in that war. During the year District was completed at 11:15 a. m. the names of 35,413 pensioners were added to the roll and 16,315 were eenth Assembly District was objected to on dropped for various causes, leaving a the ground that the total number of votes net increase to the number on the roll as read was shown to be 198, whereas it was of 19,098. The amount paid for pensions during the year was \$56,908,597. Since 1861 526,324 disability claims and 323,462 death claims have been filed. Of the invalid claims 272,624, and of the death claims 213,082 have been allowed. At the rate claims have been filed for the finished at noon. No other errors were found past few years the close of the year 1886 than the one in the First Election District. | will undoubtedly show 1,000,000 claims The Nineteenth Assembly District was filed for pensions since 1861. The total completed without incident. It was re- amount which has been disbursed to pen-

blanks were found. In the Twenty-sec- examination service to supply the want in ond Assembly District the returns were the large number of cases of this characcanvassed without change. There were ter that the Commissioner deemed it necten defective and seven blank votes. essary to inaugurate some method where-The returns of the Twenty-third Assembly by the Post-office addresses of as large a District were canvassed without change. number as possible of the surviving The Board of Canvassers completed the soldiers of the late war be procured and canvass of the 712 election districts Satur- compiled into a permanent record conday evening. The First Election District venient for reference. With this object of the Eighteenth Assembly District by in view, suitably prepared printed slips error returned 54 votes to the Blaine Elec- for name, rank, company, regiment and tors. The number should have been 81. Post-office address were accordingly The Committee on Corrections will rectify sent out to Grand Army Republic the error and report in favor of SI votes on Posts, and as early as April last a sufficient number had been completed and received so that their arrangement, according to military service, could be commenced. In addition to this the examiners in the Pension Office were required to note the names of all witnesses who had been in the service which they met with in the examination of claims, so that from this source alone some 150,000 names were secured. It is expected that by January next there will be arranged and ready for immediate reference a record of between 600,000 and 700,000 names. The practical use of this record became immediately apparent as soon as reference could be made to it, and the information furnished by it has proved of material service in the adjudication of claims, both as to expediting the work and the ascertainment of the 7.182 5.780 necessary facts. Many instances arise which could be cited, if necessary, show-5.198 4.719 material testimony for want of knowledge 5,151 of their comrades' whereabouts, which 6.424 5.854 the information afforded by this record 1.012 2.774 relieves, and often is the means of not only establishing the right to a pension, but of opening the way to defeat an un-

> The Commissioner observes that the system of settlement of pension claims. has properly claimed the serious consideration of Congress for the past two sessions. It has not thus far been deemed wise to change this system, imperfect as it may seem in its operations in some cases, and remedial legislation has been proposed which should take from the claimant some of the burdens which in their operations amount to a practical denial of his claim. On the subject of 16,892 13,165 remedial legislation the Commissioner contents himself by briefly referring to and recommending the passage of the bill 7.434 embracing his recommendations reported 207 to the Senate, and placed on the calendar in May last, where it still remains.

Crop Reports.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 13. The November returns of cotton to the Department of Agriculture relate to the 2,638 | yield per acre, and show the effects of the long continued drought in reducing pro-6.425 duction. The lateness of killing frosts has less effect than usual in enlarging the yield, as the vitality of the plants was too nearly exhausted to produce a top crop. The drought had not been broken at some points on the Gulf coast at the date of re-3.186 lower turns. The indicated yield per acre is in nearly every State than in the census year, which was one of average production. The lowest yields are now as then in Florida, Georgia, Alabama and Texas, The reduction this year is very marked in Louisiana and Arkansas, the region of Cleve-Blaine most productive cotton lands. The returns by States indicate the yield per acre as follows, the figures being subject to modification by fuller returns: Virginia, 180 pounds; North Carolina, 175; South Carolina, 152; Georgia, 135; Florida, 105; Alabama, 130; Mississippi, 175; Louisiana, 190; Texas, 143; Arkansas,

200; Tennessee, 160. The indications point to a crop somewhat larger than that of 1883, gathered in unusually fine condition, of good color, unstained by storms and free from trash and dirt.

The returns of the rate of yield of cornindicate a product somewhat in excess of 1,800,000,000 bushels, or an average rate, a small fraction above twenty-six. bushels per acre. The best yields are, as in 1883, in what ras been designated the great American desert. The "arid regions" in the vicinity of the hundredth meridian have produced heavy crops of maize of high quality. That line of longitude has ceased to be an absolute barrier to corn production, or general farming. The quality of corn is better than in 1883, nearly everywhere, and in the Northern belt it is worth twenty-five to seventy-five per cent. more.

The potato crop is nearly, an average vield, or ninety bushels per acre, and exceads 190,000,000 bushels.

Going to the Mines-The Canadian Pacific.

PORTLAND, ORE., November E. Portland was yesterday placed in telegraphic communication with the Eastern States by the completion of a new line over the Oregon Short Line.

Flattering reports having been received here from the Cour d'Alene mines, large

Members of the Gun Foundry Board of the United States Government went to yesterday morning. They returned last evening. There will be no further general conference with steel manufacturers, though the Board will continue to hold meetings at the rooms of the American Iron and Steel Association, for the purpose of talking with individuals with whom they have made engagements. The next place to be visited is the Pennsylvania Steel Works, at Steelton, near Harrisburg, whither the Board will go co Friday morning.